

## **Iowa Department of Human Services**

Terry E. Branstad Governor Kim Reynolds Lt. Governor Charles M. Palmer Director

January 9, 2015

Christine Allen 216 Rainbow Drive Marshalltown, IA. 50158

Dear Christine Allen,

The Department of Human Services conducts routine unannounced spot checks of childcare homes on a yearly basis. A visit has been attempted at your home and no one was home at the time of the visit. If you are no longer providing childcare, please let the Department know as soon as possible so that no more attempts will be made to visit your home. Please note that if you are no longer a Registered Childcare Provider, you can care for no more than five children at any one time including your own non school-aged children. If you are interested in continuing to be a Registered Child Development Home, you will need to contact the Department to indicate when you are available for a spot check. Please respond to this letter by Monday, January 19, 2015. If you do not respond, the Department will assume that you are no longer interested in being Registered and your registration will be cancelled. Patricia Smart can be reached at 319-292-2360.

Please note that two attempted spot checks have been done. The dates are that of May 2, 2014 and also December 11, 2014. However, no contact has been made back from – you- the provider.

Sincerely,

Patricia Smart Social Worker II

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Social Work Supervisor

Department of Human Services